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Notice of Letting and Day of Review of Apportionments

BEHLER INTERCOUNTY DRAIN Gratiot and Midland Counties

NOTICE OF LETTING

DATE: October 10, 2018
TIME: 10:00 a.m.
LOCATION: Gratiot County Drain Commissioner's Office
904 East Center Street, Ithaca, Michigan 48847

The Behler Intercounty Drain Drainage Board will meet on the above date, time and location to receive construction bids for the Behler Intercounty Drain. Bids will then be opened and publicly announced.

The Behler Intercounty Drain will be let in one section having an average depth of 7 feet and bottom width of 4 feet as set forth:

Open Chanel Construction

Quantity	Unit	Description
800	L.F.	Clearing, Grubbing and Snagging
12,350	L.F.	Sediment Removal
12,350	L.F.	Spoil Leveling

Drain Crossings

X1	Station 30+70 – County Line Road 57 Lin. Ft., 60" PE
X2	Station 40+30 – Private Crossing 40 Lin. Ft., 48" PE
X3	Station 97+00 – Private Crossing 40 Lin. Ft., 48" PE
X4	Station 109+50 – State Road 100 Lin. Ft., 42" PE

Soil Erosion and Sediment Control

Quantity	Unit	Description
6	Ea.	Riprap Outlet
2	Ea.	Riprap Spillway (Type A)
4	Ea.	Riprap Spillway (Type B)
150	Syds	Miscellaneous Riprap
10	Ea.	Tile Extension w/ Splash Pad
12,350	L.F.	Open Channel Seeding

Miscellaneous

Quantity	Unit	Description
1	L.S.	Mobilization
1	L.S.	Traffic Control

This Notice of Letting, the plans, specifications and bid proposal shall be considered a part of the contract. The contract will be let in accordance with the Contract Documents now on file at Land and Resource Engineering, 3800 West River Drive, Suite A, Comstock Park, Michigan and available to interested parties. Bids will be made and received in accordance with these documents. Bidding Documents, including plans and specifications, may be examined at the following locations:

Land and Resource Engineering, 3800 West River Dr., Ste A, Comstock Park, MI – attn: Pete Buurstra

Gratiot County Drain Commissioner's Office, 904 East Center Street, Ithaca, MI 48847 – attn: Bernie Barnes

Midland County Drain Commissioner's Office, 220 west Ellsworth Street, Midland, MI 48640 – attn: Doug Enos

Copies of Bidding Documents may only be obtained upon payment of a \$50.00 **nonrefundable** deposit. Electronic sets of contract documents are free of charge and available upon request – attn: Pete Buurstra, 616-301-7888.

A security deposit in the form of a cashier's check, money order, certified check or bidders bond shall be submitted with any bids. No cash will be permitted. The security deposits of all unsuccessful bidders shall be returned after the contract is awarded.

A **pre-bid conference** will be held at **10:00 a.m. on October 2, 2018** at the **Gratiot County Drain Commissioner's office**, 904 East Center Street, Ithaca, Michigan. The Engineer will transmit to all plan holders and pre-bid attendees of record an Addendum as the Engineer considers necessary in response to questions arising at the conference. Oral statements may not be relied upon and will not be legally effective.

The contract will be awarded to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the work and meeting all conditions represented in the Instructions to Bidders. The contract completion date and the terms of payment will be announced at the time and place of letting. If no satisfactory bids are received, we reserve the right to reject any and all bids and to adjourn to a time and location as we shall announce.

Bernard Barnes
Gratiot County Drain Commissioner
904 E. Center St.
Ithaca, MI 48847
989-875-5207

Douglas Enos
Midland County Drain Commissioner
220 W. Ellsworth St.
Midland, MI 48640
989-832-6772

DAY OF REVIEW OF APPORTIONMENTS

The Gratiot County Drain Commissioner will hold a Day of Review of Apportionments on the date, time, and location listed below:

DATE: **October 16, 2018**
TIME: **9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.**
LOCATION: **904 E. Center St., Ithaca, Michigan**
QUESTIONS: **989-875-5207**

The Midland County Drain Commissioner will hold a Day of Review of Apportionments on the date, time and location listed below:

DATE: **October 16, 2018**
TIME: **9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.**
LOCATION: **220 W. Ellsworth St., Midland, Michigan**
QUESTIONS: **989-832-6772**

The Day of Review is an opportunity to review the tentative apportionment of benefit for each parcel and municipality within the Intercounty Drainage District.

The Drain Commissioner, engineers and/or other staff members will be available to assist individuals throughout the day, and make revisions where necessary. There is no need to schedule an appointment for a specific time on the Day of Review. The computation of costs for the Intercounty Drain will also be available at the Day of Review. Drain assessments are collected in the same manner as property taxes and will appear on your winter tax bill. If drain assessments are being collected for more than one (1) year, you may pay the assessment in full with any interest to date at any time and avoid further interest charges.

Persons with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation in the Day of Review should contact the Drain Commissioner of their county at the number listed above (voice) or through the Michigan Relay Center at 7-1-1 (TDD) at least 24 hours in advance of the Day of Review to request mobility, visual, hearing or other assistance.

You may appeal the Drain Commissioner's determination of apportionments to the Probate Court in the county in which you reside within ten (10) days.

The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of lands constituting the Special Assessment District of the Behler Intercounty Drain, as well as a list of any county, township, city, village to be assessed at large:

BETHANY TOWNSHIP, T.12N., R.2W.

Section 6 – West 1,800 feet of the North 4,000 feet of the East ½ and the South ½ of NW ¼ and the Southwest ¼

PINE RIVER TOWNSHIP, T.12N., R.3W.

Section 1 – Southeast $\frac{1}{4}$ and the East 700 feet of the Southeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of the Southwest $\frac{1}{4}$

Gratiot County at large for benefits to county roads.

JASPER TOWNSHIP, T.13N., R.2W.

Section 31 – Southeast $\frac{1}{4}$

Midland County at large for benefits to county roads.

Dated: September 10, 2018



Christine Kosmowski, Deputy
For Gordon Wenk, Director
Michigan Department of Agriculture and
Rural Development